CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

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Applicant: Commissioner of Police

Classification: Unrestricted.

Descriptive note: None

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Date of direction to issue

a label:

No direction to issue a label has been issued

Date of notice of decision: 10 July 2017

Summary of reasons for decision:

The computer image file depicts a scantily clad young girl posed in a manner that is not overtly sexual in nature. The image cannot fairly be said to deal with matters of sex in terms of s3(1) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993 (FVPC Act), nor does it raise any other issues under s3(1), s3A or s3B of the FVPC Act. The image file must, therefore, be classified as unrestricted. This classification imposes no limitation on the right to freedom of expression as set out in s14 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990.